



VOCABULARY

MULTIPLE CHOICE CLOZE

Read the text and choose the correct answer (A, B, or C) for each gap.



The Fifth Runner

Eric was on his school's track team - kind of. He was the fifth-fastest (1) _____. Only four runners could run on a relay team. Eric was the team's (2) _____. The alternate doesn't get to run in the race.

Eric worked out with his (3) _____ every day. He would practice at home, too. Eric wore the same (4) _____ as the other runners, but he never felt like part of the team.

One Saturday morning, Eric's team attended a (5) _____. Eric went with them like he always did. As his team jogged toward the start line, Dan, the team's fastest runner, twisted his (6) _____. He cried out in pain.

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| 1 | A. bathroom | B. runner | C. kitchen |
| 2 | A. alternate | B. mountain | C. suitcase |
| 3 | A. teammates | B. beaches | C. hospitals |
| 4 | A. carnival | B. uniform | C. airport |
| 5 | A. track meet | B. living room | C. passport |
| 6 | A. ankle | B. magazine | C. river |

